





Attorney's Docket No. MVIEW.001A2

DECLARATION - USA PATENT APPLICATION

As a below named inventors we hereby declare that:

My residence, post office address and citizenship are as stated below next to my name;

We believe we are the original, first and joint inventor of the subject matter which is claimed and for which a patent is sought on the invention entitled PEG-URATE OXIDASE CONJUGATES AND USE THEREOF; the specification of which was filed on August 6, 1999 as Application Serial No. 09/370,084.

We hereby state that we have reviewed and understand the contents of the above identified specification, including the claims;

We acknowledge the duty to disclose information which is material to patentability as defined in Title 37, Code of Federal Regulations, § 1.56;

We hereby declare that all statements made herein of our own knowledge are true and that all statements made on information and belief are believed to be true; and further that these statements were made with the knowledge that willful false statements and the like so made are punishable by fine or imprisonment, or both, under Section 1001 of Title 18 of the United States Code and that such willful, false statements may jeopardize the validity of the application or any patent issued thereon.

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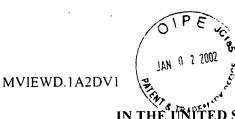


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PEG-URATE OXIDASE CONJUGATES AND USE THEREOF

SMALL ENTITY STATEMENT

Assistant Commissioner for Patents Washington, D.C. 20231

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Dear Sir:

The undersigned duly asserts Small Entity Status, under 37 C.F.R. § 1.27 (c) (1), in the above-captioned patent application.

Respectfully submitted,

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